

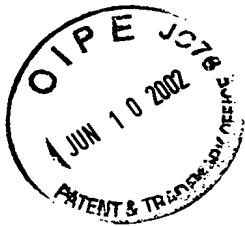
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In re application of

Amanda Johanne KILIAAN et al.

Confirmation No. 5229

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METHOD AND PREPARATION FOR THE  
PREVENTING AND/OR TREATING  
VASCULAR DISORDERS AND SECONDARY  
DISORDERS ASSOCIATED THEREWITH

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of February 8, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 12, replace the first full paragraph as follows:

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--In another preferred embodiment the preparation additionally contains a component with anti-oxidant properties. Preferably the antioxidant is selected from the group consisting of vitamin C, vitamin E, lipoic acid, selenium salts and carotenoids. Another component which may advantageously be included in the present preparation is extract of ginkgo biloba. This extract is obtained from the leaves and is enriched in flavonoids and especially